

## **PATENT**

## THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Seema Garde, et al.

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## REQUEST FOR A TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

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The initial period for response to the outstanding Official Action, issued November 19, 2001, expired on January 19, 2002. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17 petition is hereby made for a two-month extension of time up to and including March 19, 2002 in which to respond to the Official Action. A check in the amount of \$ 400.00 for the extension fee is enclosed herewith. Authorization is hereby provided to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this Request for a Two-month Extension of Time and all other documents indicated therein as being enclosed are being deposited with the United States Postal Service in an envelope with sufficient postage for First Class Mail on the date indicated below and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D. C. 20231.

Mary M. Johns

March 19 2002

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